IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF GEORGIA
STATESBORO DIVISION

EDWARD STANLEY,   *
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        Plaintiff,   *
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        v.   *
                                    *   CV 623-018
SECURUS TECHNOLOGIES, LLC, et   *
al.,   *
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        Defendants.   *
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O R D E R

Before the Court is Plaintiff's stipulation of dismissal
without prejudice of Defendants Securus Technologies, LLC, Alvin
Stanley, Independent Technologies, LLC d/b/a Wintel, a division of
Independent Technologies, LLC, and Dataonline Corp. d/b/a Anova
under Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 41. (Doc. 69, at 1-2.) The
stipulation is only signed by Plaintiff. (Id. at 2.) Rule
41(a)(1), however, only allows a plaintiff to "dismiss an action
without a court order by filing . . . a stipulation of dismissal
signed by all parties who have appeared." FED. R. CIV. P.
41(a)(1)(A)(ii) (emphasis added). The Eleventh Circuit has found
a stipulation of dismissal that is "not signed by all parties who
have appeared in th[e] case" is invalid. Hardnett v. Equifax Info.
Servs., LLC, No. 21-13195, 2023 WL 2056285, at *1 (11th Cir. Feb.
17, 2023).

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that Plaintiff's stipulation of dismissal (Doc. 69) is **DENIED WITHOUT PREJUDICE.** If Plaintiff wants to dismiss the above-named Defendants, the Parties are instructed to re-file this motion with the signatures of all parties that have appeared in this case,.

ORDER ENTERED at Augusta, Georgia, this ___8th___ day of November, 2023.
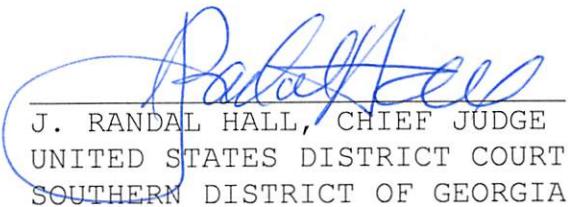
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J. RANDAL HALL, CHIEF JUDGE
UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF GEORGIA